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BROWNIES OPEN BALL SEASON AUSPICIOUSLY

The Ukiah Brownies opened the baseball season last Sunday in a most auspicious manner, when they cleaned up the Santa Rosa aggregation by a score of 13 to 3. The game was a tight little struggle up to the fifth inning. Santa Rosa ran in a tally in the fourth, which put the Brownies on their mettle, and Van Dyke started the fireworks for the home team in the fifth, when he rapped out a clean two-bagger. Following him, the entire team cleaned up, every man making a run. When the smoke had cleared up Ukiah had chalked up nine runs and the game was practically over. Ern Ruddick contributed another thrill in the eighth by knocking a home run. Claude Davidson, Ukiah's other home run hitter, was not successful in emulating Ruddick's performance.

Young Hank Davidson, a high school lad, played third for the Brownies, and succeeded in winning the favor of the fans, as well as a permanent place on the team.

Altogether, although Ukiah's game was a little ragged in spots, nevertheless, it was more than satisfactory for the first game of the season, and the outcome put the fans in good humor. The team will get the hearty support of all, now that it has shown that it means business.

The box score is as follows:

UKIAH.

Players—	ab.	r.	bh.	po.	a.	e.
H. Davidson, 3b	5	2	1	1	1	1
Cox, ss	5	2	1	2	0	1
Ruddick, lf	3	3	3	0	2	0
C. Davidson, cf	5	1	3	0	0	0
Maze, 2b	5	1	2	1	1	1
Eilers, 1b	4	1	1	13	1	0
Van Dyke, p	4	1	1	0	6	0
Ball, rf	4	1	0	0	0	1
Buchanan, c	4	1	0	10	4	0
Totals	39	13	12	27	15	4

SANTA ROSA

Players—	ab.	r.	bh.	po.	a.	e.
McCord, 2b	4	1	1	2	1	1
E. Maroni, ss	3	0	0	3	5	0
Sullivan, lf & p	3	0	2	1	2	1
Bulgaria, 3b	4	0	0	1	3	2
Cenetti, 1b	4	0	0	9	0	2
Alvia, c	3	0	0	5	0	2
Mastrup, cf	4	0	1	3	0	0
J. Maroni, p & lf	4	1	0	0	1	0
Gray, rf	3	1	2	0	0	0
Totals	32	3	6	24	12	8

Score by Innings:

	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	
Ukiah	0	0	0	0	9	3	0	1	*	13
Base hits	1	0	0	1	6	3	0	1	*	12
Santa Rosa	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	2	0	3
Base hits	0	0	0	1	2	0	0	3	0	6

Summary: Earned runs, Ukiah 9; Santa Rosa, 2. Two-base hits, Cox, Eilers and Van Dyke. Home run, Ruddick. First on balls, off Van Dyke, 2; off Maroni, 2. Struck out by Van Dyke, 9; by Maroni, 3. Left on bases, Ukiah, 4; Santa Rosa, 5. First on errors, Ukiah, 3; Santa Rosa, 3. Hit by pitcher, Sullivan. Time of game, 1 hr., 50 min. Umpire, Hagans.

FT. BRAGG GIRL'S CASE PUZZLES S. F. DOCTORS

Fort Bragg, May 2—Miss Elizabeth Waara, of Fort Bragg, is seriously ill in a San Francisco hospital. Her case is a puzzle to the San Francisco physicians, the general supposition being that she is suffering from a tumor of the brain. She is now totally blind, and but little hopes are held for her recovery.

Miss Waara is the 21 year old daughter of the late John Waara, of Noyo Hill. The people of Noyo Hill section gave a benefit dance for her Saturday night, at which time $105 was cleared.

THE WEATHER

Dr. McCowen reports as follows on the weather for the past week: Maximum temperature, 81; minimum, 33. No rain. Rain for season, 29.98; last season, 34.13.

POTATO GROWERS WILL MEET AT FT. BRAGG

A meeting of the potato growers and farmers of the Mendocino coast, to be held at Fort Bragg, Tuesday May 8th, is being aranged by Horticultural Commissioner Claude Van Dyke, through the cooperation of the different chambers of commerce of that section. This meeting is clearly intended to be instructive in the methods of planting, care and harvesting of potatoes and will touch slightly on the food situation during the present war.

The meeting will be addressed by Honorable Eugene H. Grubb, the nationally known potato expert of Colorado, and Geo. P. Weldon, deputy state commissioner of horticulture. Mr. Grubb was authorized a few years ago by the United States government to make a study through Europe of the conditions affecting the culture and production of potatoes. For the past fifteen years he has been recognized as one of the foremost authorities in the United States on this subject. Mr. Grubb illustrates his address with lantern slides showing the proper methods of proceedure in culture and care of the potatoes. Mr. Weldon is familiar with the local conditions of the state, and the meeting will be a valuable exposition of potato culture in its many phases.

At this time an industry so important as this one should be encouraged and the farmers of the coast will undoubtedly avail themselves of the opportunity of hearing these men.

FT. BRAGG COUPLE ELOPES TO STA. ROSA

Fort Bragg, May 3—Rumor had it last evening that Austin Taylor and Miss Mamie Brooks eloped Tuesday night by auto. The general supposition is that they were married yesterday and will live at Bakersfield, where Taylor has secured a position with the Standard Oil Company.

Both are well known young people of Fort Bragg, having lived here the greater part of their lives.

Santa Rosa, May 3—A marriage license was issued in Santa Rosa Wednesday to Austin Taylor and Mamie Brooks, both of Fort Bragg.

CULTUS CLUB MEETS WITH MRS. CLEVELAND

On Tuesday evening, May 1st, Mrs. Nellie Cleveland entertained the Cultus club at her home on south State street. The business session of the club was followed by the literary program of the evening. Mrs. McCowen, Sr., gave an excellent paper, "The Modern Short Story", and Mrs. McCowen, Jr., read an amusing story, "Father's Talkin' Now".

After the program, dainty refreshments were served to the guests in the dining room, which was artistically decorated with a profusion of wild flowers.

OPERETTA TO BE STAGED ON THURSDAY EVENING

On next Thursday evening the operetta "Pirates of Penzance" will be put on at the Victory theatre by the high school students. A good cast has been working for over a month on the production. The opera is comic, being a burlesque on the Italian grand opera, and will present many humorous situations. The music that goes with the production is very beautiful. Miss Margaret Van Dyke, as leading lady, needs no introduction to a Ukiah audience. On many previous occasions her singing has charmed her hearers. Harold Sloper will sing opposite to her, and is, as everyone knows, possessed with all the characteristics that go to make up the good male lead.

Tickets will be on sale Monday at the Victory. Reserved seats 35, 25 and 15 cents.

JULY WILL SEE COMPLETION OF "CONVICT" ROAD

Fort Bragg, May 2—July is the date now set for the completion of the thirty miles of state highway in northern Mendocino county, which is being built by honor prisoners from San Quentin.

Practically speakin, this stretch of territory lies between Andersonia and Cummings, about six miles of which yet remains to be built. Two of the three bridges on the route are now completed; one of which is fifty feet above the water, and the other two, 150 feet each. Lumber for same is cut in a small sawmill operated by the prisoners.

The steam shovel recently purchased by the Highway Commission is now being hauled to Leggett valley by auto truck from Fort Bragg, a distance of sixty miles, in knocked-down form. The shovel weighs 22 ton and cost $4500. About 5000 pounds is being taken on each truck. Workmen found it necessary to cut sixty rivets on the shovel in order to get it in pieces suitable for a load.

By means of the shovel, which runs on traction wheels, it is figured that all slides can be cleared and the roadbed widened to sixteen feet in short order.

Captain Moulton took thirty convicts into the two camps this week, there being about 160 prisoners engaged in the work at present.

It is stated on good authority that a contract for ten miles of the uncompleted highway between Willits and Cummings is to be let out on a private contract this month. This means that there will then be 29 miles of uncompleted highway between Willits and the Humboldt line.

Dr. C. B. Baker, who is in charge of the sanitary work of the camps, was here last evening. He states that there has been but very little sickness in the camps during their year and a half of existence. Mr. Baker covers thirty-two miles of territory every other day, between the two camps, and apparently has been very successful in his handling of the health conditions.

TIE CAMPS OPENENG IN WESTPORT SECTION

Westport, May 2—Harry Lynch opened up a tie camp back of Westport this week on the Standish-Hickey holdings. Geo. Mitchell, of Willits, has also started to make ties on his claim back of Union Landing.

Ed Gordon has given up his contract with the Standish-Hickey concern, and is now working two crews, one on his claim, and another on the Michaels claim.

Seventy-five thousand ties will probably be made in the four camps this summer.

PASSENGER AUTO IN ACCIDENT AT ROCKPORT

Westport, May 2—Poor brakes nearly caused a serious mishap for several parties traveling in the Westport-Kenny auto stage last Tuesday morning. The engine stalled on the steepest pitch of the south Rockport grade. The driver's attempt to bank the bus, resulted in its turning over. There were two women in the party, but no one was hurt.

JOHN OTTOSON ENTERS PLEA OF NOT GUILTY

John Ottoson, accused of a statutory crime against the daughter of Mrs. Ed Furlong, of Potter valley, appeared in the superior court Tuesday of last week and entered a plea of not guilty. The trial has been set for June 18th.

E. L. Cunningham motored to Upper Lake Tuesday to attend to business in the interests of the Lake County Canning Co.

MANY NEW CASES FILED THIS WEEK IN LOCAL COURT

C. L. Hodge, et ux, have instituted a suit to quiet title against F. H. Warren as administrator of the E. R. Shimmin and Robt. E. Shimmin estates. The property involved is located in Sections 23 and 24 of township 20 north, range 14 west.

Through Mannon & Mannon, Chet Leavitt has filed a suit to quiet title against Fred Warren as administrator of the Wm. Card estate located in the Dos Rios section.

Mrs. A. J. Haskell and W. H. Haskell, through Mannon & Mannon, have filed a suit against Catherine Root, et al. The complaint alleges that the Haskells sold a ranch to J. W. Miller, who paid down all but $700 of the purchase price of $4250. The amount still due was secured by a note dated at Cloverdale Sept. 25, 1913. Subsequently Miller sold to Mary Peck, who in turn sold to Catherine Root. Through these various transactions the various successors to Miller are alleged to have had cognizance of the note for $700, which is alleged in the complaint to be a vendor's lien on the property. The complaint asks that the property be sold at sheriff's sale and the various interests adjusted.

Through Preston & Preston, Howard Preston has filed a petition for letters of guardianship over the person and estate of Fred Snugg, a minor, which is valued at not more than $10,000 in the petition. The minor has nominated Preston as his guardian, the petition states.

STORK INAUGURATES DRIVE

The stork inaugurated a big spring drive in this vicinity the past week, according to General Van Allen. The following results are reported to date: A boy to Mr. and Mrs. L. A. German, April 27th; a girl to Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Thurrow, of Calpella, April 28th; a boy to Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Green, of Ukiah, April 29th; a boy to Mr. and Mrs. R. H. Carter, of Ukiah, May 1st. Further engagements are imminent.

MENDOCINO-LAKE CO. TRACK MEET TOMORROW

The Ukiah high school track will be the scene of the spring track meet of; the Mendocino-Lake county subleague of the C. I. F. The meet will be held tomorrow and a number of athletes are expected here from various schools included in the subleague. Through the generosity of various local individuals suitable medals will be awarded the victors in the various contests.

Of course Ukiah expects to walk away with the honors, as her good showing at Sebastopol gives her every chance of doing so.

MANCHESTER RESIDENT JOINS REGULAR ARMY

A message to the Dispatch from Buffalo, N. Y., yesterday morning carries the information that Charles A. Walker, of Manchester, this county, had enlisted in the United States infantry at Niagara Falls last Wednesday.

SAN FRANCISCO COUPLE WED IN UKIAH SATURDAY

James Carson and Amelia Spriggs, of San Francisco, were married in this city last Saturday evening, the ceremony being performed by Rev. Catchpole at the Baptist parsonage. The couple will reside in Portland, Ore.

Burnam Heryford, principal of the Hopland high school, was in town last Saturday to attend the session of the board of education, of which he is a member. The principal business of the meeting was the selection of questions for the coming grammar school examinations.

LARGE ATTENDANCE AT SAT. AFTERNOON CLUB

Several guests and thirty-five members of the Saturday Afternoon club enjoyed the hospitality of Mrs. Robherd Thomas and Miss Place at the residence of the former on the afternoon of April 28th.

The Liszt music consisted of two of his compositions charmingly executed by Miss Reva Thomas, the talented daughter of Mrs. J. G. Thomas.

The club was delightfully entertained with reports from the delegates, Mrs. Brown, Miss Garsey and Mrs. F. Thomas, who attended the Federation convention at Eureka. The clubwomen of that section are the owners of beautiful clubhouses and from all reports, were beautiful hostesses.

These reports were followed by an interesting paper concerning the development of family life in the cities and country, written by Mrs. Held.

Mrs. Maxwell completed the program with a humorous reading.

The Thomas home was gaily decorated in white and yellow blossoms and dainty ices and cakes were served from tables which carried out the same yellow and white color scheme.

BIG REDWOOD SHIPMENTS FROM MENDOCINO COUNTY

Fort Bragg, May 3—During the first four months of this year 44,944,000 feet of redwood lumber has been shipped to San Francisco by water from Mendocino county ports. In the same period Humboldt county mills shipped 17,197,000 feet to the metropolis by water.

In order that these figures may not be misleading as to the total outputs of the two counties, it might be well to state that a greater part of the Humboldt saw mill product is shipped out by rail. The total coast shipments from April 12th to 27th follows:

Eureka	943,000
Albion	940,000
Caspar	2,122,000
Fort Bragg	1,457,000
Greenwood	567,000
Mendocino	787,000
Crescent City	200,000
Total	7,016,000

AUTO OVER GRADE; NOBODY IS HURT

Wendling, May 2—F. W. Frye, teacher in the Anderson valley high school, and several students, had a miraculous escape from being killed Saturday when their car was totally wrecked near Yorkville. Nobody was hurt.

The occupants were thrown clear of the machine as it made its first turn on leaving the road. It landed in the tops of a clump of trees and now awaits the insurance adjuster.

The party was bound for the Davis Farm picnic.

HOSPITAL INMATE KILLED BY FALL FROM ROOF

Judge Hurley was called to the state hospital at Talmage yesterday to hold an inquest over the remains of Julius Wenscoweski, one of the inmates. The deceased came to his death by jumping from the roof of one of the smaller buildings. He gained access to the roof through an open window, while the attendant's attention was attracted elsewhere for a few moments. He had threatened several times to commit suicide.

EDWARD WILLIAMS GETS YEAR IN SAN QUENTIN

Edward Williams, the man who was brought back from Vallejo last week by Sheriff Byrnes on a charge of burglary committed at Willits, was given one year in San Quentin by Judge White last Thursday.

SMITH FREED BY VERDICT OF TRIAL JURY

"Gentlemen of the jury, have you agreed on a verdict?" asked Deputy Clerk Mark Carpenter yesterday evening after the jury in the trial of Fred Smith had returned into court.

"Yes, here it is", said Foreman Geo. Conrad, of Covelo.

The clerk took the verdict and handed it to the judge.

"You are discharged, Mr. Smith," said Judge White after he read the slip of paper on which was recorded the words which freed Smith and removed him from the shadow of prison.

The jury had been out almost an hour exactly.

Smith is freed on all counts.

The trial has ben one of the most interesting that has been held in the superior court for many months. Owing to the prominence and popularity of Smith, who was city marshall and as such, tax collector, of Fort Bragg for over five years, a large number of people were in attendance from the coast.

The jury was as follows: W. H. Ham, Covelo; F. E. Howell, Ukiah; V. S. Thornton, Potter Valley; U. S. Gantz, Redwood Valley; Courtney Kendall, Point Arena; Geo. W. Perry, Navarro; Geo. Conrad, Covelo; W. F. Patten, Ukiah; Kirby L. Ford, Ukiah; W. Eddy, Poter Valley; Geo. Lambert, Ukiah; H. A. Thompson, Hopland.

Attorneys T. R. Mockler and T. J. Weldon conducted the defense, while District Attorney McCowen and Robt. Duncan prosecuted the case.

TROUT SEASON OPENS; POOR CATCHES REPORTED

The trout season opened last Tuesday, but poor luck is reported by the majority of the anglers who went out, and the statements of those who report good catches are being taken with a liberal allowance of salt. The majority report the water too high as yet and the fish as very small, the big fellows not having yet come up.

FRANK McCLENDON BURNED; LIFE DESPAIRED OF

The relatives and friends of Frank McClendon, who was brought to the county hospital last Saturday suffering from bad burns, have given up hope of his recovery. He rolled into a campfire near Arnold while asleep and before he could extricate himself from his blankets, was badly burned along his entire right side.

BARBECUE AND FLAG RAISING AT BOONVILLE TODAY

The Anderson valley union high school has just received a new flag, and today it will be raised. Fitting ceremonies will be observed, and a big barbecue has been arranged.

The Dispatch acknowledges receipt of an invitation to attend, for which the committee has our thanks.

INSTALL PASTOR TONIGHT AT LOCAL CHURCH

The installation ceremonies at the Presbyterian church this evening will attract a large congregation and special music will be given by the two choirs of the church. Rev. Dr. Campbell, of San Jose, will deliver the address and Rev. Dr. White, of San Rafael, will give the charge to the new pastor, Rev. Dr. Breckenridge, while Rev. White, of Santa Rosa, will give the charge to the people. All are welcome.

DENNIS ENGLISH DEAD; MALDORAN HELD FOR MURDER

Dennis English, who was shot by Nick Maldoran last week, died last Friday morning at the county hospital. Maldoran was bound over to appear before the superior court last Friday and will be tried on a charge of murder. Attorney Lilburn Gibson will defend him.

UKIAH HIGH SCHOOL NOTES

UKIAH SCHOOL TAKES FIRST PLACE IN FIELD MEET AT SEBASTOPOL

(By Ross Ryder)

County Meet Tomorrow

The second annual county meet will be held tomorrow afternoon on the high school oval, and hostilities will commence at 2 o'clock P. M. According to registration there will be seven schools competing for honors. Covelo will be represented by a strong team, according to report, while Lakeport, which always has a good team, will put up a husky fight for first honors. The business men of the town have purchased medals, which they will donate to the winners of the respective events. Although the high school oval is rather small, nevertheless, it will furnish ample room for any of the speedsters that can be produced from other regions than our own.

Alas! Poor Yorick!

Alas! Where are the hopes of yesterday? Last week the members of the press squad gave the boys who journeyed to Berkeley to take part in the state meet, enough of a send-off to supply "pep" for some time to come. But, with the exception of Beverly Broaddus, who took third place in the discus, and scored the only two points that Ukiah won, the boys all failed to come through. Of course it was beyond our expectations to win the meet, or anything like that, yet we would have liked to have had our name appear in the papers with more than two points to our credit. Andrews only heaved the javelin 134 feet, or about 20 feet behind the throw he made in the late meet at Analy. Though the showing was considerably against us, we still have implicit faith in that track team of ours, and we know that it will come through tomorrow and also in the spring meet on May 12th.

Spring Meet at Santa Rosa

The annual spring meet of the N. W. S. L. of the C. I. F. will come off at Santa Rosa on May 12th, or in other words, one week from tomorrow. Already many are planning to take advantage of the excursion which will deliver and return each person to and from Santa Rosa for the small expenditure of 1$ for the round trip. In addition to the field meet, which is more than worth the pilgrimage, the Rose Carnival is in full sway, and between the two there should be more attraction than a four-ring circus is to a four-year-old. We expect to carry off first honors, and the track team will need all the boosting that the Ukiah rooters can give them, for there will be some hot competition, believe me.

Agricultural Work

A representative of the agricultural school at Davis spoke to the student body last Wednesday afternoon. He was a young, fine looking fellow, and had about the best line of talk that we have heard for a long time. He explained to the students how each boy and girl could do his or her part in helping out the United States government. Postal cards were given out, to be signed and turned in to the department head at Berkeley. These cards specify the amount that each person could put in and care for during the summer season. The seed that will be planted is also specified, and at various times during the summer the department will send out instructions to every member enrolled in the department, as to how to care for the crop that that member has planted. A voucher, in which the amount spent and the amount received for the sale of the product is tabulated, will be sent into the department at the end of the season, and if the department considers that the work done is above mediocrity, in any manner whatsoever, a certificate of merit will be issued to the person whose work is thus judged as good.

Seniors Will Entertain

The senior class is making elaborate preparations for the entertainment of the other classes tomorrow evening at a dance at Cleland's hall. The senior class, though lacking in numbers, somewhat, nevertheless is famous for its hospitality, and the annual party given by that class is thought of as being one of the social successes of the season.

Juniors Banquet Faculty

The junior girls, (most of them, at least), are giving a banquet to the faculty Monday evening. The affair will be held at the home of Miss Leta Wilson, on Oak street. The rooms will be decorated in the garlands of the season, and it is definitely stated that poppies will not be the color scheme. At the proper time for banquets the faculty will be fed on choice morsels, prepared by the fair demoiselles and their mothers. The dinner will be a full course affair, and the faculty will be full of course after the affair. Later in the evening the young gentlemen friends of the entertainers will be welcomed in, and the evening will be given over to mirth, dancing and song.

Takes Clerkship

Harold Sloper has taken a position as clerk for Jamison Bros. He will keep up his connection with the school, however, and will return at intervals to take examinations, so that he may keep up in his classes.

Patriotism

The patriotic outburst that is extant all over the country has brought us a new flag pole. We will not rave over the beauties of the flag, but it looks rather well that we may now show the community that we are at least patriotic enough to support a flag.

Lyceum

The lyceum comes off this afternoon under the direction of Miss Place. Ffom all reports it will be something out of the ordinary.

GEORGE GINOCHIO CELEBRATES 11TH ANNIVERSARY

On Saturday afternoon a number of boys met at the home of George Ginochio, on Dora Ave., the occasion being the eleventh anniversary of the young man. A most enjoyable time was had, games were played, and delicious refreshments were served. Mrs. John Higgins assisted Mrs. Ginochio in entertaining the young people.

Those present were, James Busch, Merlye Iversen, Charley Benton,, Tommie Ray, Eddie Lambert, Arthur Broaddus and George Ginochio.

Geo. Scott and C. W. Mero were among the well known Fort Bragg people in town this week.

WHAT FURNITURE DO YOU NEED?

At the Cleland Furniture Store, near the Post Office, is a new store filled with desirable, dependable things. The newest Furniture, as well as time-tried staples, the latest and prettiest Draperies, new designs in Rugs, Carpets and Linoleum—every usual and unusual nice article to make a House a Home, and a Home better. Moderate prices prevail. There's a friendly atmosphere about Cleland's that makes a visit pleasant, whether or not you are in the buying mood.

WILL YOU COME? THANK YOU.

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GUALALA

Gualala, May 2—The weather has been fine and warm since my last report. Everyone in the neighborhood is busy planting summer gardens.

There is quite a bit of talk of consolidating the schools along the coast. This perhaps might be a good thing for the schools that are in danger of lapsing, but Sea Side school does not want to move and, for a number of years, will be building up, as the little ones grow into school years. Our school site is fine, being off the road far enough so as not to be annoyed by the traffic, yet convenient. Our neighborhood is not willing to even call an election on the question. We are ready to welcome the Signal Port and Sail Rock pupils to our numbers, which seems more convenient than for them to go to Gualala. Besides Gualala has quite a large school already. We hope, however, that things will be settled satisfactorily to all concerned in a short time.

Aaron Weinberg, of Annapolis, was a visitor at Herman Johnson's the first of the week. Mr. Johnson expects to go out to his place and help him out in the plowing for a few days.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Smith, of Loma Vista, were taking advantage of the very nice evenings and spent Saturday evening with Mr. and Mrs. Rang, of Bower's Landing.

Mr. McKenzie and Mr. Johnson spent the evening of the 28th at La Loma Orchard with the Lampkin family. Barton is turning out to be a typical farmer in looks as well as experience.

We are pleased to say that J. J. Briones is recovering from the severe cold, and we hope he will soon be as young and strong as formerly.

We are told the shingle mill at Gualala will soon be ready for operation.

Miss Ruby Keene, of Bourns' Landing, was a caller at Mrs. Lampkin's the afternoon of the 27th, having walked home with Miss Wallach from school.

Mr. Settegast has completed his sale with the parties who have bought his place. Mr. Johnson is to move Mr. Settegast to Point Arena in time to connect with the steamer Saturday. He is returning to his former home in San Francisco.

Mr. Whitcomb, of Brush Opening, while loading a shotgun, had the misfortune to have the gun explode, blowing it to pieces. He came out of the fray with nothing more than a bruised thumb.

Auto stage service is to go into effect after the first. How we appreciate the one day mail service. It seems to put us more into civilization.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Smith, of Loma Vista, were out calling on neighbors Sunday, going as far as Mrs. Brayton's in Brush opening.

The ocean has been quite calm lately. Mr. Rang has been fishing outside. He was able to bring in a very good haul of nice fish, several quite large ones.

FORT BRAGG NOTES

Fort Bragg, May 3—Henry Bowman, formerly of Mendocino and a recent graduate of the University of California, has secured a splendid position in Indianapolis, Indiana, as inspector of poultry and eggs. The position is under the civil service.

Only one side of the Albion mill has been running this week, due to a scarcity of logs.

Albion and Fort Bragg will open the baseball season here next Sunday.

A daughter was born to the wife of Homer H. Helm, of Longvale, in Fort Bragg Sunday night. The mother was formerly Miss Julia John, of Fort Bragg.

A 9½ pound son was born to the wife of John McDonald, of Caspar, in Fort Bragg Monday morning.

Another daughter put in her appearance at the Jack Major home at Cleone Monday.

Born—At Wendling, on April 28, a son, to the wife of Mr. Poroti.

A 22-caliber rifle, which Gus Gamberg, of Fort Bragg, dropped Thursday, discharged and the ball passed through the fleshy part of the back of his shoulder. No serious damage was done, however, but it was a close call.

The Calif. Western Ry. and Nav. Co. started to sell round trip tickets May 1st to Ukiah, Santa Rosa, Sausalito and San Francisco.

A meeting will be held in Fort Bragg Friday for the purpose of organizing a Red Cross Society.

The city trustees have expressed a willingness to expend $2000 for a chemical auto truck. They met and conferred with the firemen this week.

William Hugh has accepted the position of woods superintendent for the Goodyear Lumber Co., at Elk.

Miss Lillian Hansen and John J. Hurley, two well liked young people of Mendocino, were quietly married this week.

Cool, Comfortable Outing Shoes

In keeping with our custom of handling none but the best, we have just received a new line of Keds, canvas rubber-soled shoes with tops of a specially woven, fine grade of canvas, used exclusively in Keds.

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HOP MEN ARE ASKED TO GROW PRODUCE

San Francisco, April 28—The national need for the maximum production of food demands that every acre of land be devoted to the growth of crops which serve directly or indirectly for human food. This is the opinion of veteran commission men. Now is the opportune time for the hop growers of California to substitute potatoes, onions, and beans for hops, according to those interested in handling the food supply. The nation is now short of these articles and from present indications will be in a greater need of them later on.

By replacing the hop crop with strictly food crops, the hop grower will not only assist the country, but will also protect himself from disaster which is almost certain to come unless the acreage now devoted to hops is materially reduced.

English hop yards will produce more hops than are required in England and there is no possibility of American hops being marketed there while the war continues. The amount of beer that may be brewed in England this year has been fixed at 10,000,000 barrels, and the hops required for this quantity of beer can be grown upon about half the present acreage under hops.

At present there exists a considerable quantity of hops in storage on the Pacific coast. If growers harvest anything like their present acreage of hops the amount produced would be so much in excess of possible demand that every grower would suffer heavy loss.

WILLITS

Willits, May 2—Willits is making great preparations for their annual Chautauqua week, which will start on May 30th and end on June 5th. The Ellison-White people have the best program this year that they have ever been able to secure, and everybody who attends is assured of a literary and musical treat.

Tuesday night J. C. Herbsman, one of the Chautauqua advance men, met the local committee at Hotel Willits and gave them a splendid outline of the good things which were in store for them.

Professor Edward Blackman was elected chairman of the local committee and Harry Burke secretary-treasurer.

Serg. F. B. Moulton brought up a party of thirty convicts from San Quentin prison last Monday to work on the state highway. Among the party was Bill Fales, formerly of Dos Rios, and well known in this county.

Fred Wagner received fifty-three head of young thoroughbred red Durham cattle from Healdsburg this week, among them two registered bulls, and has taken them to his Sherwood ranch.

Ed Brown, formerly of Willits, but now of Mendocino City, brought a drove of yearlings over from the coast last Saturday and sold them to R. S. Chatham.

ENGRAVED CARDS

We are prepared to take orders for engraved visiting cards and furnish them almost as cheaply as printed ones. One line in any style script at the following prices: Plate and 50 cards, $1.75; plate and 100 cards, $2.00. Address lines 75c each additional. Other styles of lettering in proportion. We will engrave cards from your old plate, any style, at the following prices: 50 cards, $1.00; 100 cards, $1.50. Mail orders taken care of promptly if accompanied by check or money order. Address the DISPATCH-DEMOCRAT, Ukiah, Cal.

Notice for Publication of Time Appointed for Probate of Will

In the Superior Court, County of Mendocino, State of California.

PROBATE

In the Matter of the Estate of Henry T. Thomson, Deceased.

Notice is hereby given, that Saturday, the 5th day of May, A. D., 1917, at 9 o'clock A. M. of that day, and the Courtroom of said Court, at the Court House, in the County of Mendocino, State of California, have been appointed as the time and place for proving the will of said Henry T. Thomson, deceased, and for hearing the application of Mary C. Thomson for the issuance to her of Letters Testamentary thereon. And all persons interested in said Estate are notified to then and there appear and show cause, if any they have, why said will should not be admitted to probate, and Letters Testamentary thereon issued to said petitioner.

HALE PRATHER,
County Clerk and ex-officio Clerk of the Superior Court of Mendocino County, California.
By M. A. Carpenter, Deputy Clerk.
PRESTON & PRESTON,
Attorneys for Petitioner.
Dated April 17th, 1917.
Endorsed: Filed April 17, 1917.
Hale Prather, Clerk. 28-3

WANT ADS.

1c a word 1 time; 2c for 3 times; 3c for 6 times. Minimum charge 15c.

MESSENGER WANTED — Good opportunity for boy over fourteen, or young man, to learn telegraphy while working. Given position as operator as soon as proficient.
Western Union Telegraph Co.

WANTED—To buy a large used refrigerator. Apply at this office. 1

WANTED—Mountain or hill farm with or without improvements, must be reasonable and have water. Owners only, or pay reasonable price to locate me on good piece of government land. State full particulars. John Jerome, Lowell, Ariz. 25-6

FOR SALE—A fine stock range in Mendocino county, 1610 acres at $7 per acre. Prospective buyers should inspect this ranch. Excellent location. Good roads. Close to railroad. For information, address, etc., Inquire at this office. 28-tf

FOR SALE—Sound, true, 7-year-old, 1100 lb. horse. Work, drive, ride. Take cash or trade. 315 Clara Ave., Ukiah. Evenings. 27-tf

FOR SALE—Six-room modern bungalow on Walnut Ave. Must sell immediately. Good terms to right party. C. P. White, Ukiah. 29-6p

EXPERT DYNAMITER wants 100 goats and a few brood sows. Will pay cash or exchange blasting work—subsoiling, stumping, road work, well work, ditching and excavating. Scientific blasting without danger to life or property. M. S. Cross, Ukiah. 29-4t

EPH. WEISS, the expert refracting optician will be in Ukiah at Hotel Cecille on May 9th. Permanently located in the Whitney Bldg., 133 Geary St., San Francisco. 23-4

FOR SALE—I will sell 12 acres fronting county road with water the year around on it. Nice place for building. All fenced. Daily mail, and school 1 mile, also 1 mile from R. R. station. Can be bought for $100 per acre. Terms. See J. E. Buttner, owner, Calpella. 26-4tc

LOST—Dark tan leather purse containing $84 mostly in gold. Finder return to this office and receive liberal reward. 29-3t

FOR SALE—Team of mares, 7 and 8 years old. About 1450 pounds. Jamison Bros., Ukiah. 20

FOR SALE—Five-room cottage with sleeping porch, lot 60x120, gas, electricity, modern plumbing, stationary washtubs, big screened porch. Can't be duplicated for $2500. Price $2000. Address Box 228, Ukiah.

HEATING WOOD and black and white oak stove wood at $2.25 a rick. J. E. Buttner, Calpella, Cal. 24-tfc

WASHBURN TRIAL SET FOR JUNE 25TH NEXT

The case of the People vs. Washburn, a criminal case in which burglary at Willits is alleged, has been set for June 25th.

A number of young folks of the Ukiah Young People's Christian Endeavor society motored to Willits last Sunday afternoon and had an enjoyable visit with the Willits endeavorers.

Mrs. C. P. Rueckert, of Mendocino, was registered in town Wednesday.

NOTICE TO CREDITORS

In the Superior Court of the State of California, in and for the County of Mendocino.

In the Matter of the Estate of N. E. Tolman, Deceased.

Notice is hereby given by the undersigned, Administrator of the Estate of said Deceased, to the creditors of, and all persons having claims against the said Deceased, to file their claims with the necessary vouchers in the office of the Clerk of the above entitled Court, or to exhibit them with the necessary vouchers within four months after the first publication of this notice, to the said Administrator at the office of Hale McCowen, Jr., Attorney for said Administrator, in Ukiah, Calif., the same being the place for the transaction of the business of said Estate in the County of Mendocino, State of California.

Dated March 30, 1917.

JASPER A. SEWARD,
Administrator of said Estate.
HALE McCOWEN Jr.,
Attorney for Administrator. 25-5t

NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION

Department of the Interior, U. S. Land Office at San Francisco, Cal., April 26th, 1917.

NOTICE is hereby given that Annie Tindall, of Ukiah, R. F. D., Cal., who, on September 4, 1914, made Homestead Entry, No. 07208, for Lot 1, Section 28, Township 14 N., Range 12 W., M. D. Meridian, has filed notice of intention to make Commutation Proof, to establish claim to the land above described, before County Clerk, at Ukiah, Cal., on the 6th day of June, 1917.

Claimant names as witnesses: John E. Shields, James Kneeland, L. E. Crawford, W. E. Henry, all of Ukiah, Cal., R. F. D.

J. B. SANFORD,
30-5t Register.

NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION

Department of the Interior, U. S. Land Office at San Francisco, Cal., April 26th, 1917.

NOTICE is hereby given that Otto Rosander, of Calpella, Cal., who, on May 9th, 1913, made Homestead Entry, No. 06315, for N½ SE¼ SE¼, Section 6, Township 16 N., Range 12 W., M D. Meridian, has filed notice of intention to make Three Year Proof, to establish claim to the land above described, before County Clerk, at Ukiah, Cal., on the 5th day of June, 1917.

Claimant names as witnesses: Ferdinand Faas, Jr., Louis Finne, G. F. Carter, George H. King, all of Calpella, Cal.

J. B. SANFORD,
30-5t Register.

Notice for Publication of Time Appointed for Probate of Will

In the Superior Court, County of Mendocino, State of California.

PROBATE

In the Matter of the Estate of CHARLES LUCE, Deceased.

Notice is hereby given, that Saturday, the 12th day of May, A. D. 1917, at 9 o'clock A. M. of that day, and the Courtroom of said Court, at the Court House, in the County of Mendocino, State of California, have been appointed as the time and place for proving the will of said Charles Luce, deceased, and for hearing the application of J. M. Luce for the issuance to him of Letters Testamentary thereon. And all persons interested in said Estate are notified to then and there appear and show cause, if any they have, why said will should not be admitted to probate, and Letters Testamentary thereon issued to said petitioner.

HALE PRATHER,
County Clerk.
THOMAS & THOMAS,
Attorneys for Petitioner.
Dated April 25th, 1917. 29-3

Notice for Publication of Time Appointed for Probate of Will

In the Superior Court, County of Mendocino, State of California.

PROBATE

In the Matter of the Estate of Ole Simonson, Deceased.

Notice is hereby given, that Saturday, the 19th day of May, A. D. 1917, at 9 o'clock A. M. of that day, and the Courtroom of said Court, at the Court House, in the County of Mendocino, State of California, have been appointed as the time and place for proving the will of said Ole Simonson, deceased, and for hearing the application of Thomas E. Simonson for the issuance to him of Letters Testamentary thereon. And all persons interested in said Estate are notified to then and there appear and show cause, if any they have, why said will should not be admitted to probate, and Letters Testamentary thereon issued to said petitioner.

HALE PRATHER,
County Clerk.
ROBERT DUNCAN,
Attorney for Petitioner.
Dated May 3, 1917. 30-3

INSTRUMENTS ON RECORD

Report of Papers Filed in Recorder's Office

WEEK'S DEEDS AND MORTGAGES

April 24, 1917

DEEDS—

Frank B. Cook to Stearns Lumber Co., dated April 23, 1917. All timber standing, being and lying on NW¼ of SE¼ of Sec. 35, and 20 acres more or less being a part of NE¼ of SE¼ of Sec. 35, all in T 15 N, R 15 W, M D M.

Frank B. Cook to Stearns Lumber Co., dated April 23, 1917. NE¼ of NW¼ of Sec. 11, T 15 N, R 15 W, M D M, containing 40 acres.

Stearns Lumber Co. to Frank B. Cook, dated April 10, 1917. NW¼, E½ and a portion of E½ of SW¼ Sec. 36, T 15 N, R 15 W, M D M, containing 515 acres.

E. A. Howard et ux to B. Lorenzo, dated Jan. 15, 1917. All of Lot G as said lot is delineated and so designated upon that certain map entitled "Map of E. A. Howard's Subdivision of Lot 107 and a portion of Lot 108" of Healey's survey and map of Yokayo Rancho.

Ole Simonson to Mrs. M. A. Simonson, dated Sept. 15, 1910. Land in Sec. 7, T 20 N, R 15 W, M D M; land in Sec. 7, T 18 N, R 13 W, M D M; Land in Sec. 18, T 18 N, R 13 W, M D M.

MORTGAGES—

John F. Slaughter to Commercial Bank of Ukiah, dated Jan. 1, 1917. NW¼ of SW¼ and W½ of NW¼ Sec. 29 and NE¼, N½ of SE¼. Fr. NE¼ of SW¼, E½ of NW¼, Fr. W½ of NW¼, Fr. NW¼ of SW¼ Sec. 30, T 20 N, R 14 W, M D M. $1300, 1 yr., 7 per cent.

MINING CLAIM—

Claim of A. F. Brunner, to be known as Wild Devil Claim No. 12. Located in S½ of SE¼ of Sec. 16, T 17 N, R 12 W, M D M.

DEED—

James V. Ray et ux to John Gavin, dated April 24, 1917. Land in Sec. 17, T 17 N, R 11 W, M D M.

April 25, 1917

PATENT—

United States to Carl L. Hoag, dated ——. SE¼ of SE¼ of Sec. 24 and NE¼ of NE¼ of Sec. 25, T 16 N, R 14 W, M D M, containing 40 acres.

LEASE—

J. H. Burke to G. C. Burke, dated Feb. 3, 1916. Leases property known as Huse Burke Ranch located at El Robles station, about 4 miles south of Ukiah, also all personal property belonging to said ranch for the term of ten years from and after the 3d day of December, 1915. Consideration, ½ of crop of hops and ½ of prune crop.

DEED UNDER FORECLOSURE—

R. R. Byrnes, as sheriff, to Union Lumber Co., dated April 25, 1917. Purchase price, $1371.96. Sale made by sheriff in case of The First National Bank of Fort Bragg vs. Charles Erickson.

CANCELLATION OF TAX SALE—

(Certified copy of order.) Mendocino Co. to Clark & Minton, dated Feb. 8, 1916. Auditor directed to cancel assessment to Clark & Minton on page 571, Vol. 4 of Assessment Roll for 1914, and on page 35 of Delinquent Roll for 1914, as to the following lands: SE¼ of SE¼ Sec. 30, T 20 N, R 15 W, M D M.

CANCELLATION OF MORTGAGES

John F. Slaughter to Commercial Bank of Ukiah. Cancels mortgage recorded in Book 65 of Mtgs., page 430.

J. M. Standley to Bank of Ukiah. Cancels mortgage recorded in Book 13 of Mtgs., page 436.

DEED OF GIFT—

Margaret A. Carder to George Seymour Carder, dated Feb. 21, 1917. NE¼ of SW¼, S½ of NW¼, SW¼ of NE¼ of Sec. 5, T 22 N, R 13 W, M D M.

April 26, 1917

PATENT—

State of California to David T. Johnson, dated April 17, 1917. N½ of the east 80 acres of the fractional NW¼ of Sec. 19, and the NW¼ of the NW¼ of Sec. 17, T 24 N, R 11 W, M D M.

MORTGAGE—

W. M. Loudon to Noyo River Apple Co., dated April 12, 1917. 20 acres of land in T 18 N, R 15 W, M D M. $1000, payable on or before Nov. 1, 1917, 6 per cent.

Edward Mann to The First Bank of Savings of Fort Bragg, dated Apr. 20, 1917. Lot No. 1 in Blk. 62 of Weller's Addn., City of Fort Bragg. $200, 1 yr., 8 per cent.

RELEASES OF MORTGAGE—

Fort Bragg Commercial Bank to Edward Mann, dated April 21, 1917. Releases mortgage recorded in Book 68 of Mtgs., page 45.

Florence E. Willits to Lillie E. Dryden, dated April 21, 1917. Releases mortgage recorded in Book 71 of Mtgs., page 382.

Florence E. Willits to Florence M. Stradley, dated April 21, 1917. Releases mortgage recorded in Book 71 of Mtgs., page 380.

April 27, 1917

DEEDS—

C. W. and F. D. Hotskin to Jack Pyne, dated Sept. 17, 1913. N½ of Sec. 2, T 19 N, R 14 W, M D M.

D. J. Blosser to Jack Pyne, dated April 25, 1917. SE¼ of SE¼ Sec. 30, T 20 N, R 15 W, M D M.

Margaret Toner to Joseph M. Toner, dated Sept. 24, 1915. Lots 2, 7, 8, 9, 16, in T 19 N, R 13 W, M D M, and NW¼ of NW¼ of Sec. 19, T 19 N, R 12 W, M D M.

Margaret Toner to Joseph M. Toner, dated Aug. 10, 1915. Land in Secs. 1, 2, 3, 11, 12, 13, 23, 24, 25, in T 19 N, R 13 W, M D M, also in Secs. 19, 30, 31, T 19 N, R 12 W, M D M. Containing in all 3939 acres, more or less.

Mrs. Ecce Van Voast to William H. Van Voast, Dean T. Van Voast, Clifton Van Voast and Alfred Van Voast, dated Aug. 8, 1917. Grants to William H. Van Voast and Dean T. Van Voast for the term of their natural lives and to the survivor of them for his natural life, with the remainder over to said Clifton and Alfred Van Voast in fee simple in equal shares, the lot in Ukiah bounded on N by land of John F. Todd, on E by property of J. H. Carothers and wife, on S by Henry Street, and on W by the continuation of Dora street.

ASSIGNMENT OF DEED OF TRUST

The German Savings and Loan Society to J. H. Batcher, dated April 25, 1917. Assigns that certain Deed of Trust bearing date the 31st day of Aug., 1914, by and between Standard Farm & Stock Co., party of the first part, and George Tourney and A. H. R. Schmidt, trustees, parties of the second part, and The German Savings and Loan Society, party of third part; said Deed of Trust being of record in Book 4 of Deeds of Trust, page 90.

CONVEYANCE OF INTEREST IN DEED OF TRUST—

George Tourny and A. H. R. Schmidt, trustees, to L. B. Hunt and Jennie Ludwig, trustees, dated Apr. 24, 1917. Conveyance of all right, title and interest in and to that certain Deed of Trust and in and to the rights thereby created, which said deed of trust was executed Aug. 31, 1914, by and between Standard Farm & Stock Co., party of first part, and George Tourny and A. H. R. Schmidt, parties of the second part, and the German Savings and Loan Society, party of third part, and recorded in Book 4 of Deeds of Trust, page 90.

MORTGAGE—

Mrs. Bertha Pritchard to The First Bank of Saving of Fort Bragg, dated April 25, 1917. Property in Littleriver. $400, 1 yr., 7 per cent.

RELEASE OF MORTGAGE—

Fort Bragg Commercial Bank to Chas. R. Perkins, dated April 21, 1917. Releases mortgage recorded in Book 69 of Mtgs., page 113.

CANCELLATION OF MORTGAGES

Ruth Ann Windom to Annie Cook. Cancels mortgage recorded in Book 68 of Mtgs., page 410.

W. C. Hotell et ux to Annie Cook. Cancels mortgage recorded in Book 75 of Mtgs., page 226.

April 28, 1917

DECREE OF DISTRIBUTION—

In the matter of the estate of Mary Belle Smith, deceased. Distributes to Henry H. Taylor, cash, $2353.48, promissory note for $3000 and certain real property in Ukiah.

MORTGAGE—

Aurelia A. Inman to Irvine & Muir Lbr. Co., dated April 27, 1917. Lot 13 of Sec. 23; Lots 3, 4, 5, 6, 11, 12, 13 and 14 of Sec. 26, S½ of NE¼, SE¼ of NW¼ and NE¼ of SW¼ of Sec. 27, all in T 19 N, R 13 W, M D M. $700, on or before 1 yr., 6 per cent.

CERTIFICATE OF SALE UNDER FORECLOSURE—

Suit of Lora May Matthews vs. C. E. Gordon and Gussie Gordon. Sale made by sheriff to Lora May Matthews for the following land: Land in Sec. 31, T 21 N, R 17 W, M D M. Price bid, $500.

April 30, 1917

CONTROLLER'S RECEIPT—

Controller of State to A. Dorman, dated Dec. 1, 1916. Land in Secs. 5 and 6, T 18 N. R 17 W, M D M. Assessed to Chas. Dahl. Sold to state June 27, 1916, for delinquent taxes for year 1915. Amount paid to redeem, $3.33.

DEEDS—

Noyo River Apple Co. to W. M. Loudon, dated April 12, 1917. 20 acres of land in T 18 N, R 15 W, M D M.

R. J. Carey to H. P. Preston, dated April 28, 1917. Lot 1 and N½ of Lot 2 in Blk. 59, City of Fort Bragg.

Eri Huggins to the City of Fort Bragg, dated Sept. 23, 1912. Certain property in Fort Bragg for public streets and alleys.

Paul S. Ray to John E. Tsarnas, dated April 30, 1917. N½ of SW¼ and SE¼ of SW¼ of Sec. 14, T 19 N, R 14 W, M D M.

CHATEL MORTGAGE—

Mrs. Clara Durnford to Fred J. Windlinx, dated Mar. 30, 1917. Moving picture machinery situate in Covelo, in that certain hall now used for moving picture business. $425, payable in installments, 8 per cent.

MORTGAGES—

James W. Shore et ux to Grace Hudson, dated April 28, 1917. Lots 3 and 6 and N½ of Lot 5 of Sec. 7, T 21 N, R 13 W, M D M, containing 148.71 acres. $350, on or before 2 yrs., 9 per cent.

Amos Dennis to Round Valley Commercial Co., dated April 2, 1917. Property in Covelo. $750, payable 1 day after date, 8 per cent.

Amos Dennis to Round Valley Commercial Co., dated April 2, 1917. Land in Secs. 24 and 25, T 24 N, R 13 W, M D M. $800, payable 1 day after date, 8 per cent.

CERTIFICATE OF SALE UNDER FORECLOSURE—

In the suit of E. M. Whitney vs. Arthur L. Dobie, Robert Duncan and Noonan Meat Co. Sale made to E. M. Whitney on April 30, 1917. All of Lot 13 of Rowe Tract, Willits. Price $738.47.

SATISFACTION OF MORTGAGES—

Round Valley Commercial Co. to Amos Dennis, dated April 25, 1917. Satisfies that certain mortgage made and executed by Amos Dennis and recorded in Book 75 of Mtgs., page 398.

Bank of Cloverdale to James L. Eldredge, dated April 27, 1917. Satisfies mortgage recorded in Book 77 of Mtgs., page 364.

CANCELLATION OF MORTGAGES

A. Broggi to L. Broggi. Cancels that certain chattel mortgage recorded in Book 14 of Chattel Mtgs., page 26.

Rosalia Shore et vir to Savings Bank of Mendocino Co. Cancels mortgage recorded in Book 73 of Mtgs., page 388.

MINING CLAIMS—

Six claims of W. S. Graham located in Red Mountain mining district.

ASSIGNMENT OF MINING CLAIMS

J. Ross McDonald to Emily Winter, dated April 30, 1917. Assigns all the right, title and interest that J. Ross McDonald now has or may hereafter acquire of, in or to any mineral locations or options on claims in Mendolino county.

May 1, 1917

PATENT—

United States to Jesse M. Ginochio, dated Jan. 18, 1917. SE¼ of Sec. 12, T 13 N, R 13 W, M D M, 160 acres.

DEEDS—

Charles Luce to James Marvin Luce, dated Nov. 23, 1905. Lot 18 of Luce's Subdivision of Lot 85 of Yokayo Rancho. Reserving a strip 20 feet wide and also right of way for a pipe line.

MORTGAGES—

William R. Hildreth to Commercial Bank of Ukiah, dated April 28, 1917. 34.08 acres and being a part of Lot 52 of Healey's survey and map of Yokayo Rancho. $1000, 1 yr., 7 per cent.

H. H. Van Nader to Mendocino Bank of Commerce, dated April 30, 1917. Land in Lot 53 of Healey's survey and map of Yokayo Rancho and also in Lot 59 of said Rancho. $5500, 1 yr., 6 per cent.

H. Marks to Mendocino Bank of Commerce, dated May 1, 1917. Three lots of land in and near Covelo. $5000, 1 yr., 6 per cent.

CHATEL MORTGAGES—

Titus Strong to J. R. Thomas, dated April 30, 1917. 2 head of cows located on ranch about three miles NE of Ukiah. $100, 6 mos., 8 per cent.

Birdie J. Knudsen to F. C. Albertson, dated April 30, 1917. All personal property used in connection with the Ukiah Steam Laundry. $700, payable April 30, 1918, 10 per cent.

J. Neely to J. H. Bell, dated April 30, 1917. 2 head horses, 1 colt, 1 two-horse wagon and double harness, 1 cow, located on ranch about 9 miles NW of Ukiah. $88.27, 6 mos., 7 per cent.

PARTIAL RELEASE OF MORTGAGE—

T. J. Weldon and Geo. P. Anderson to Joshua Williams, dated May 1, 1917. Partial release of mortgage dated March 25, 1914, and recorded in Book 73 of Mtgs., page 101 on property in Bartlett Tract.

CANCELLATION OF MORTGAGES

Fred Frank to Nettie Taylor. Cancels mortgage recorded in Book 71 of Mtgs., page 322.

H. H. Van Nader to Bank of Ukiah. Cancels mortgage recorded in Book 70 of Mtgs., page 428.

H. Marks to Bank of Ukiah. Cancels mortgage recorded in Book 77 of Mtgs., page 253.

George T. Johnson to F. C. Albertson. Cancels chattel mortgage recorded in Book 13 of Chattel Mtgs., page 156.

DEED—

George E. Middleton et ux to John E. Tsarnas, dated April 25, 1917. SW¼ of SW¼ of Sec. 3 and W½ of NW¼ and SE¼ of NW¼ of Sec. 10; and S½ of NE¼ and N½ of SE¼ of Sec. 15, all in T 19 N, R 14 W, M D M.

NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION

Department of the Interior, U. S. Land Office at San Francisco, Calif., April 21, 1917.

Notice is hereby given that John Shipley Nobles, whose post-office address is Cloverdale, Calif., did, on the 20th day of February, 1917, file in this office Sworn Statement and Application, No. 010728, to purchase the SE¼ SW¼, Section 14, Township 11 N., Range 13 W., M. D. M., and the timber thereon, under the provisions of the act of June 3, 1878, and acts amendatory, known as the "Timber and Stone Law," at such value as might be fixed by appraisement, and that, pursuant to such application, the land and timber thereon have been appraised, One Hundred Dollars ($100.) the timber estimated 70 M. board feet at $ .40 per M, and the land $20.; that said applicant will offer final proof in support of his application and sworn statement on the 27th day of June, 1917, before County Clerk, at Santa Rosa, Calif.

Any person is at liberty to protest this purchase before entry, or initiate a contest at any time before patent issues, by filing a corroborated affidavit in this office, alleging facts which would defeat the entry.

J. B. SANFORD,
29-10 Register.

NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION

Department of the Interior, U. S. Land Office at San Francisco, Calif., April 26th, 1917.

NOTICE is hereby given that Alfred R. Strong, of Hopland, Cal., who, on Oct. 7, 1915, made Homestead Entry, No. 08476, for SE¼ NE¼, Section 6, Township 13 N., Range 12, W., M. D. Meridian, has filed notice of intention to make Commutation Proof, to establish claim to the land above described, before County Clerk, at Ukiah, Cal., on the 6th day of June, 1917.

Claimant names as witnesses: Otto Stoschke, of Hopland, Cal.; John Burgess, of Ukiah, Cal.; William Duncan, of Hopland, Cal.; H. W. Thompson, of Hopland, Cal.

J. B. SANFORD,
30-5t Register.

NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION

Department of the Interior, U. S. Land Office at San Francisco, Cal., April 26th, 1917.

NOTICE is hereby given that Emma Lydia Dunfee, of Ukiah, Cal., who, on December 12, 1911, made Homestead Entry, No. 05201, for W½ NE¼, W½ SE¼, Section 25, Township 14 N., Range 13 W., M. D. Meridian, has filed notice of intention to make Five Year Proof, to establish claim to the land above described, before the County Clerk, at Ukiah, Cal., on the 8th day of June, 1917.

Claimant names as witnesses: Otto Faber, T. S. Faussett, Wm. Zachmann, M. C. Jepsen, all of Ukiah, Cal.

J. B. SANFORD,
30-5t Register.

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NOTICE TO CREDITORS

In the Superior Court of the State of California, in and for the County of Mendocino.

In the Matter of the Estate of Henry A. Spencer, Deceased.

Notice is hereby given by the undersigned, administratrix with the will annexed of said Deceased, to the creditors of, and all persons having claims against the said Deceased, to file their claims with the necessary vouchers in the office of the Clerk of the above entitled Court, or to exhibit them with the necessary vouchers within four months after the first publication of this notice, to the said administratrix with the will annexed at her residence at Potter Valley, Cal., or to Thomas & Thomas or W. G. Poage, her attorneys, at their offices at Ukiah, Cal., the same being the place for the transaction of the business of said Estate in the County of Mendocino, State of California.

Dated April 13, 1917.

MINNIE P. EDDIE,
Administratrix with will annexed.
THOMAS & THOMAS and W. G. POAGE.
Attorneys for Estate. 27-5t

NOTICE OF SALE

In the Superior Court, County of Mendocino, State of California.

THOMAS P. HALE, Plaintiff, vs. A. M. MILLER, SUSIE B. NEEDHAM, D. H. NEEDHAM and BEATRICE M. MILLER, Defendants.

Under and by virtue of an order of sale and decree of foreclosure issued out of the Superior Court of the County of Mendocino, State of California, on the 7th day of April, 1917, in the above entitled action, wherein Thomas P. Hale, the above named plaintiff, obtained a judgment and decree against A. M. Miller, Susie B. Needham, D. H. Needham and Beatrice M. Miller, which said decree was, on the 12th day of April, 1917, recorded in Judgment Book 11 of said Court, at page 180, I am commanded to sell:

All that certain lot, piece or parcel of land situate in Mendocino County, State of California, and bounded and described as follows, to-wit:

Beginning at the Northeast corner of the lands of Henreich Frank, thence Westerly along the Northerly line of said Henreich Frank's land one half mile to the Northwest corner thereof; thence due North eight and seventy-five one hundredths chains; thence East one half mile to the center of the County road; thence South along the center of the County road eight and seventy-five one hundredths chains to the place of beginning, being a part of Section 31 and Section 32 in Township 17 N., R. 12 W., M. D. M. and containing thirty-five acres of land, more or less.

Also beginning at the Northeast corner of the lands conveyed April 27th, 1889, by Berry Wright to Isreal Lukas; thence West one half mile; thence North five chains; thence East one half mile to the center of the County road; thence South along the center of the County road five chains to the place of beginning. Being a part of Sections 31 and 32 in Township 17 N., R. 12 W., M. D. M., and containing twenty acres of land.

All of the above being the same property conveyed to Jacob Banek by James H. Jones by Deed, dated March 16th, 1908, and recorded March 16th, 1908, in Book 108 of Deeds at Page 499, in said Records of Mendocino County, California.

Notice is hereby given that on Saturday, the nineteenth day of May, 1917, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, of that day, in front of the East entrance of the County Court House, in Ukiah, Mendocino County, State of California, I will in obedience to said order of sale and decree of foreclosure, sell the above described property, or so much thereof as may be necessary to satisfy plaintiff's judgment, with interest thereon and costs, to the highest and best bidder for cash, in Gold Coin of the United States of America.

Dated April 12, 1917.

G. E. REDWINE,
27 Commissioner.

Guy Joslin and wife were down from their ranch in Redwood valley the first of the week.

J. R. Downing, of Laytonville, was in Ukiah the first of the week.

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W. B. Coombs, county sealer of weights and measures, was in Ukiah this week on official rounds. He was registered at the Cecille.

CHRISTIAN SCIENCE SERVICES

Christian Science services are held at 110 S. School street every Sunday. Sunday school at 10 a. m. Lesson Sermon at 11 a. m. Wednesday evening testimony meetings at 7.30. All are welcome. Reading room at the same place open daily from 2 to 4 p. m., except Sundays and holidays. Subject for next Sunday is "Everlasting Punishment."

SUPERIOR COURT NOTES

C. H. Newman vs. J. G. Newman, etc., et al—Ordered that J. G. Newman holds one-sixth undivided interest in said property set forth in the complaint in trust for plaintiff and as administrator holds an undivided one-sixth interest in trust for said plaintiff. Further ordered that said trust has terminated and that said J. G. Nowman conveys one-sixth undivided interest to plaintiff and that as administrator he convey one-sixth to plaintiff.

Geo. S. Carder vs. Margaret Carder—Plaintiff granted interlocutory decree of divorce.

Augustus Sartori vs. M. Newfield, et al—Continued for thirty days.

Eleanore Arnold vs. Joe Arnold—Plaintiff granted interlocutory decree of divorce.

Estate of Gertrude Ruschetti Andreani, deceased—Administrator finally discharged.

Estate of Joseph Bainbridge, deceased—Decree that no inheritance tax is due.

Estate of William James Brown, deceased—Same order.

Estate of P. O. Hardell, deceased—Same order.

Nora May Pinches vs. Oswald Pinches—Submitted for decision and judgment.

Don H. Dorman vs. Lupi Dorman Final decree of divorce granted.

John Thurman vs. Haidee Thurman—Continued to May 12th.

R. T. Hughes vs. Maude E. Hughes—Submitted for consideration and decision.

Estate of Emma Robinson, deceased—Decree that no inheritance tax is due.

Estate of Wm. Ketchum, deceased—Same order as above.

Estate of Katie F. Moss, deceased—Same order as above.

Estate of James Curley, deceased—Decree that notice to creditors has been given. Final account approved and petition for distribution granted.

Estate of John Brien, deceased—John A. Brien appointed administrator; bond $350.

Estate of Genova Bernice Vassar, a minor—Allowance of $15 per month from April 1, 1917.

Estate of Otis Farrar, a minor—Final account of guardian allowed and approved.

Estate of Mary Belle Smith, deceased—Final account and report of trustee allowed and approved and property ordered delivered to Henry M. Taylor. $200 allowed as attorney's fees.

Estate of H. E. Bishop, deceased—Family allowance of $75 per month allowed from date of death of decedent and $60 per month henceforth.

Estate of Joseph Bernard Casabonne, deceased—Decree of partial distribution. Bond of $100 from each legatee.

Estate of Eva C. Bowles, deceased—Objections to transcript heard and settled.

E. S. Williams vs. Nelson Requa, et al—Continued one week by consent.

L. Bilodeau vs. Miriam Goldberg—Demurrer sustained and 20 days given to answer. Stipulated answer to cross complaint need not be filed until amended complaint is filed.

Edna May Williams vs. Fred H. Warren, etc., et al—Motion of defendant for change of venue continued one week by consent.

Julia Iversen vs. S. A. Iversen—Motion to modify final decree of divorce submitted.

SCHOONER WILL CARRY LUMBER TO HONOLULU

Fort Bragg, May 1—The schooner Beulah is expected to clear from the local port tomorrow with a cargo of 400,000 feet of redwood lumber consigned to Honolulu. She arrived in port Saturday morning.

Last June this little three-masted schooner came very near being wrecked here when she struck a rock while turning around in the harbor.

ALBION MAN INJURED

Albion, April 30—Section Foreman Callahan, of the logging railroad, was quite badly injured this week as the result of an explosion in the woods. He is reported to be recovering.

UNION LUMBER CO. DONATES USE OF ITS VACANT LOTS

Fort Bragg, May 2—The Union Lumber company have announced that they will donate all of their vacant lots about town to the "plant a garden" movement, free of charge. Their employees will be given first preference. This generous offer will probably be taken advantage of immediately, and should make a material increase in the back-yard gardens.

ORNBAUN NEWS OF PAST WEEK

Ornbaun, April 30—Spring has come in all her glory, and we are certainly glad to welcome it again, it is so warm and beautiful. We have found that although we do have a severe winter once in a while, there is much to be thankful for yet.

I. B. Elkins was a business visitor in Cloverdale and Geyserville this week.

Mrs. Horace Ornbanu underwent a capital operation at a Santa Rosa hospital a week ago last Sunday, and we are glad to say she is getting along nicely, and if she continues to improve, will soon be able to leave the hospital and come to Cloverdale where she will stay with her sister, Mrs. Chester Byron, until she has regained her strength sufficiently to make the trip home.

Harry Weihe returned to Oakland last Sunday, after a short visit at his ranch near here.

Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Ornbaun and children, Emma Belle and Herbert, Jr., visited for a couple of days last week with Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Rowland at their home near the La Rocha Monte Rancho.

Mrs. J. S. Ornbaun and granddaughter, Miss Alma Ornbaun, returned last week from a short visit in Cloverdale and Sonoma with relatives.

Breck Ornbaun, of Cloverdale, spent last Sunday with relatives at the Ornbaun Springs.

The Misses Frances and Nellie Ogle, of Cloverdale, returned Sunday evening after a short visit at the Ogle ranch.

Warren Lampson motored up from Geyserville and spent last Sunday evening at the Ogle ranch.

LeRoy Fletcher and Miss Lelah Fletcher, of Green Valley, visited a couple of days last week at Pleasant View Ranch with Newton Ornbaun and family.

Mansfield Garett returned last week to his home near the La Rocha Monte Rancho, after a short visit in the bay cities.

Miss Laura Endicott returned to her home in Cloverdale last Saturday after an extended visit with her relatives, Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Rowland.

Newton Ornbaun and Henry Beebe drove a nice bunch of cattle from the Point Arena section to Ukiah last week by way of Ornbaun valley.

J. S. Ornbaun is recovering from a severe attack of la grippe, and we hope he will soon be himself and able to be around again.

Harry Barker, of Cloverdale, was a visitor at the La Rocha Monte Rancho last week.

Dr. Jesse, of Santa Rosa, was summoned to Hermitage last Monday to attend Grandma Hiatt, who was quite ill. Dr. reported it another case of la grippe which was quite severe, but we are glad to say nothing serious.

Wm. Young was a business visitor in Cloverdale last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Hughes and family, of Sacramento, were visitors at the Ogle ranch this week.

There are quite a few preparing for the opening of trout season. Arthur McCray, of Cloverdale, has made several trips into the valley preparing his camp and getting everything in readiness for his fishermen.

Max Hiatt and Ronald Wallach, who are attending high school at Boonville, visited in Yorkville with Mr. and Mrs. E. B. Hiatt a few days this week.

Robert Maddox, of the La Rocha Monte Rancho, visited in Cloverdale last week with his relatives, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Grant.

Joe Calihan returned to his home in Oakland last week after working at the La Rocha Monte Rancho for several months.

Horace Ornbaun returned last week from Santa Rosa where he has been visiting his wife, who is ill in that city.

COAST COUPLE ARE WED IN SAN FRANCISCO

Fort Bragg, May 2—Howard Morrow, a former Fort Bragg boy, who is now a deputy assessor in San Francisco, and Miss Beulah M. Drew, were married in the metropolis this week. Mr. Morrow is a brother of Mrs. F. C. White, of Fort Bragg.

Dr. Mervyn Perkins and wife came up from San Francisco the first of this week, and spent a few days visiting Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Perkins in this city.

C. H. Clow, a prominent resident of Philo, was a county seat visitor the latter part of last week.

Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Wintzer, of Fort Bragg, were Ukiah visitors the past week.

REDWOOD VALLEY'S QUOTA OF INTERESTING NEWS

Redwood Valley, May 2—T. J. Burns left for Willits Monday where he will work through the summer after spending the winter on his ranch here.

Mr. Hobbie is visiting his uncle, A. R. Sprague. He is from Idaho.

Guy Joslin and wife and son, and J. R. Banks and wife motored to Hopland last Sunday and visited relatives.

G. Libby, state organizer for the Grange, gave an interesting talk on the Grange at the Improvement club meeting Saturday night. Mr. Libby will be back again next Saturday night at the social club meeting, and hopes to organize a Grange in this valley.

Mrs. J. M. Devee will have charge of the social next Saturday night.

There was a general exodus to the fish streams Tuesday morning bright and early.

Rev. D. Catchpole, of Ukiah, preached a very interesting sermon at the Forsythe school house Sunday afternoon. Rev. S. P. Pope, of Ukiah, will preach next Sunday afternoon at 3 o'clock. Sunday school at 2:30. Mr. Catchpole brought out several Ukiah singers and the music was grand.

B. A. Brown has employed the Finnish colony to plow about 100 acres with their caterpillar.

Mrs. J. M. Brines entertained the ladies' sewing circle last week and Mrs. J. M. Devee will entertain this week.

Mrs. W. H. Carter is visiting Mrs. T. Braydon.

F. A. Yates and U. S. Gantz were called to Ukiah as trial jurors in the Fred Smith case Monday. Mr. Gantz was accepted and is serving as a juryman in the case.

Ellis Gschwend and Miss Clara Gantz motored to Ukiah in Ellis's new auto last Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Gaylord came up from Berkeley last week for a visit at the home of J. H. Howard. Mrs. Gaylord is Mrs. Howard's daughter.

Mrs. M. L. Faas, who has been very sick for some time, is slowly improving. She is able to sit on the porch now.

The N. W. P. R. R. will install extra crews on this line so that the men need work only eight hours a day.

BOONVILLE BUDGET

Boonville, May 1—Big fires on the coast for the past week have caused the valley to be as smoky as in the fall of the year. Everyone is busy nowadays putting in corn and potatoes. All the earlier kinds of garden truck are up and doing fine.

Mrs. Alta Johnson visited the past week in Healdsburg.

J. Peck, of Healdsburg, was in the valley the latter part of last week buying prunes.

Jno. Burger is reported much worse than usual. Mr. Burger has been bedfast and a patient sufferer for several years. His many friends are sorry to hear that he is not improving.

Mr. Fenton and family bought the old Conrad place and moved in last week from Nevada.

Vernon Rawles was out to the Tom Murray place last week dipping sheep.

Will Witherell, who has been making ties out at Whitehall, returned last week for a few days, having seriously cut his hand.

Two large droves of cattle passed through here last week on the way to the coast.

Mr. and Mrs. H. Osser, of Navarro, spent Sunday in the valley with friends.

The two little sons of Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Cureton returned to school Monday having been out for the past two weeks with an attack of measles.

Chas. Wallach, who has been shearing in the Sacramento valley, returned last week. He reports crops over there very short and everything very dry.

The high school boys and teachers attended the Davis picnic last Saturday, with the exception of Prof. Frye and his boys. He had the misfortune to turn his auto over near Yorkville. Luckily no one was hurt, but the automobile was pretty badly smashed.

Ed DeYoung and Kent Wallach, of Camp 4, visited with their folks over Sunday, returning to camp in the evening.

Geo. Estes, of Comptche, visited in the valley Sunday.

Courtney Kendall and A. B. Kendall, of Point Arena, were county seat visitors the first of the week on business at the courthouse.

Geo. White, a well known resident of Westport, departed for home the latter part of last week after several days spent here on business.

POINT ARENA

Point Arena, April 29—Miss Eva Brei, daughter of John Brei, at one time director of the San Francisco park band, was married at Santa Rosa April 28th, to John Biaggi, of Manchester. They will make their future home in Manchester on the Hoyt ranch, now owned by Mr. Biaggi. The young couple have the best wishes of the entire community here where they are well known.

Mrs. A. Seymour and mother returned on the steamer Sea Foam Thursday. They are much encouraged over the mother's health.

Mrs. D. Hutton came home Saturday with renewed health and vigor.

Will Carey has returned from quite an extensive trip.

J. Ward came up on Thursday's boat and Mr. Jahnigan, of Manchester, came to Point Arena in his auto to take him home, but the auto preferred city life to the country and would not leave, and no amount of doctoring would make it budge. It was a new, healthy auto but it was turned inside out and outside in, and oiled and scraped and still would not move, and many doctors were called and mechanicians, who sat up all night and rubbed and fed and diagnosed that auto, but it stood firm. The children milked the cows, got supper and went to sleep. Mr. J., almost desperate, took another auto and arrived home at midnight. About noon the following day his auto revived and was taken home at its usual speed. The auto doctors have not yet agreed on the case.

The sons of the late Harry Bishop, Leslie and Ernest, have purchased the general merchandise store at Manchester, from the estate, and will have sole charge of this business.

Rev. D. Munro has been visiting in San Francisco and adjoining cities. He has returned with broad smiles and many jokes. "Sartor," of the Beacon, will have more spice than ever.

They are trying to consolidate the Galloway school, three miles away, with the Point Arena grammar school.

Henry Tullener attended a dance in town on his 79th birthday. He was engaged even five dances ahead, but his interest never flagged.

Mr. and Mrs. Milton Moyles have made up their minds to settle down and go to housekeeping. They are in the Gillmore home on Mill street.

Raisin day was observed here in the Presbyterian annex. The ladies of the Mission Band gave a raisin dinner.

ROUND VALLEY

Covelo, April 30—As part of the systematic campaign of the United States department or agriculture to increase the country's food supply, the national forest stock ranges in this section are being gone over with a fine tooth comb to discover every acre available for summer grazing and the sheep and cattle to stock them.

For the last two years the forest service has devoted much time and money to promoting and developing the recreation use of the forests. It was planned to continue this work aggressively this season, to improve camp grounds and to issue more maps. This will be postponed, however, until thes uccessful termination of the war with Germany.

In many cases range areas hitherto reserved for campers' horses will be used to produce beef, mutton and wool. The time of the forest rangers will be spent in aiding the stockmen to so develop the ranges that more stock can be carried. By means of cooperative work with the Live Stock Associations and the University of California, the department hopes to have many thousand more cattle on the forest ranges this season than last.

In the opinion of the forest officers meat and men are more needed this season than vacations, and while travel for pleasure in the mountains will in no way be discouraged, the forest officers agree that the camper will meet more cows than deer in the national forests.

AT THE OLD TRYST

Old friend, the years are long.
Sometimes I pass this way and trace your name,
Writ deep with mine. Faint echoes of the song
Awake, that sang within me when you came.

Oh, yes—the years are long.
I wonder what their passing brings to you,
And if, in tender mood, you hear a song—
Or pass this way sometimes and trace mine, too.

M. Orr

W. H. Ham, of Covelo, a well known rancher of that section, was registered in Ukiah this week.

WESTPORT NEWS

Westport, April 25—The past week since the rain we have had several windy days.

Several of the young men of the town are building roads and fixing up a tie camp for Mr. Hickey about four miles back of town.

The steamer was in at Union Landing again this week after lumber.

Our pastor, Miss L. A. Rhodes, who has been very ill, is able to be up again.

Mrs. Stayton arrived here the 21st after several months spent visiting in San Francisco, Tulare Co. and in the south.

Myrtle Dake, while playing on a teeter, was thrown off and had the misfortune to break her arm, Wednesday afternoon.

Guy Williams, of Kenny, was in town Wednesday on business.

The masquerade ball given at the Westport hall by Mr. Borgeson, was a grand success, even if it did rain hard. Miss Hazel Stevenson took the lady's first prize by representing "A Maid from the Sea"; Miss Florence McNamara won the second prize for ladies, representing "California". Among the gentlemen's prizes Geo. Smith won first prize for the best dressed man, and Everett Roach the second prize. Mr. Roach represented "A Country Boy".

Miss Wildia Standley visited at the Sherwood home last week, and Miss Alma Standley spent a couple of days in town last week with Hazel Stevenson.

The Howard Creek mill was closed down last Monday and Tuesday on account of the carriage breaking down.

Mrs. A. B. Snider and two granddaughters arrived home last week after a visit with her daughter, Mrs. Roderick Cameron.

Miss Lillian Aberson, the Kibesillah teacher, visited at the Frye home last Tuesday night.

Mrs. Ed Fee and Mrs. W. D. Heagney departed Thursday for San Francisco, where Mrs. Fee will seek medical treatment.

Mrs. Lane and daughter were in Fort Bragg Thursday on business.

Mrs. John Simonds and sister-in-law and two children left Friday for a two weeks' trip to San Francisco and vicinity.

Frank Haas and wife, Mrs. Jack Fee, Oren Lynch and wife and Mrs. Harry Lynch motored to Fort Bragg Thursday afternoon.

John Lima, of Andersonia, was in town with a load of freight for the highway camps Thursday.

Henry Little and Alf Howard, of Fort Bragg, were in town on business Thursday.

Mr. Borneman and Miss Mann and Mr. Alexander and Miss May Elvers were visitors here last week.

ADVERTISED LETTERS

List of unclaimed mail matter advertised by W. B. Hagans, Postmaster of Ukiah, Cal., for the week ending May 14, 1917, and sent to the Division of Dead Letters, Washington, D. C.:

1. Bachtel, Linnet
2. Carter, Fred L.
3. Collett, Mrs. J. G.
4. Christensen, N. (Mendocino Co.)
5. Morett, Miss Alberto
6. Nelson, Mrs. C. A.
7. Steinberg, Albert
8. Schiller, Charles J.
9. Thomson, Mrs. H. Y.
10. Redwood Terrace
11. Wilson, G. R.

KNIGHTS OF PYTHIAS

Ukiah Lodge No. 213, K. of P., holds its regular convention every Wednesday evening at Odd Fellows' hall, at 7.30 o'clock. All transient brethren in good standing invited to be present.

M. N. DONOHOE, C. C.
C. H. DUNCAN, K. of R. and S.

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3.45	8.45	San Rafael	11.30	6.30
4.35	9.28	Petaluma	10.42	5.45
5.15	10.00	Santa Rosa	10.07	5.15
5.49	10.27	Healdsburg	9.33	4.44
6.06	10.40	Geyserville	9.15	4.27
6.27	10.56	Cloverdale	8.57	4.10
6.58	11.27	Hopland	8.23	3.35
7.29	11.59	Ukiah	7.57	3.08
8.40	1.30	Willits	6.45	1.55
	2.00	Longvale		1.00
	2.32	Dos Rios		12.25
	4.45	Fort Seward		10.15
	5.30	South Fork		9.25
	6.11	Scotia		8.40
	6.45	Fortuna		8.10
	6.52	Fernbridge		8.04
	7.30	Eureka		7.30
	8.05	Ar. Arcata Lv.		6.55

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SHORT ITEMS OF INTEREST INCLUDING PERSONAL NOTES CONCERNING LOCAL PEOPLE

PATRIA

The most talked of film of the year. Remember, you can see it at the Victory Friday, May 4th.

Wm. Ware, the genial, was over from Fort Bragg this week. Wm. has been postmaster at the Redwood city during the Wilson regime and is giving excellent satisfaction.

John Aylward was a passenger from the coast on the south bound train last Tuesday afternoon, en route to San Francisco. He is a well known business man of Fort Bragg.

C. F. Schaeffer, of Fort Bragg, was a south bound passenger on the train Tuesday afternoon. He was en route to San Francisco as delegate to the Odd Fellows' grand

FOR SALE CHEAP—Spring wagons, surries, buckboards, harness, etc. Smith & Byrnes Stables, Ukiah. lodge from the Fort Bragg lodge.

Jack Weller, a prominent official of the Fort Bragg National Bank, was in town this week as a witness in the Smith trial.

Judge Peirsol was a Ukiah visitor this week, coming over from his home at Fort Bragg Tuesday. He is a prominent attorney of that city.

Geo. Golden was among the Fort Bragg residents in town the past week.

For a quick job of plumbing call Laurrie McGarvey, phone 333J. 29-4

G. Milton Miller was registered at the Cecille from Boonville the latter part of last week and the first of this.

Wm. Eddy was down from Potter valley this week.

H. A. Thompson, of Hopland, was in town the past week on jury duty.

If you need any powder for bugs,
Or any prescriptions, or drugs
Morris & LeRoy
Is the place, my boy,
Get some dope, chase the bugs from your rugs.

V. S. Thornton, of Potter valley, was a Ukiah visitor the greater part of the week.

U. S. Gantz, one of Redwood valley's progressive ranchers, was in town this week as a juryman.

Geo. W. Perry, a well known rancher of the Navarro section, was in Ukiah this week.

Geo. Conrad came down from Covelo the first of the week.

E. M. Coble and Miss Helen Coble, of Potter valley, were among the prominent people in town the first of the week.

PATRIA

The film sensation of the year. At the Victory theatre Friday, May 4th.

Dana Gray and family came over from Fort Bragg the first of the week and have been visiting at the Van Allen home.

Mrs. A. F. Busch, or Poter valley, was registered in Ukiah last Monday.

Maurice Carey, of Cleone, was over to Ukiah the first of the week.

James McMaster, of Mendocino, was among the well known coasters in town the first of the week.

Mrs. Leta Noonan and Mrs. Marian Perkins, of Willits, were Ukiah visitors last Sunday.

Now is the time to put down eggs for future consumption. I am selling frech infertile eggs, the best for this purpose, at the store prices. Geo. Schmitt, Ukiah.

Principal Edward Blackman, of the Willits high school, was down to Ukiah last Saturday on business connected with the board of education.

J. S. Cotton came over from Fort Bragg to attend the session of the board of education last Saturday.

Chas. Fulkerson, principal of the Point Arena high school, was a Ukiah visitor the latter part of last week, coming over to attend the meeting of the board of education.

L. B. Williams and wife and J. W. Williams were registered in Ukiah from Potter valley last Saturday.

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Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Leek, prominent Hopland residents, were Ukiah visitors last Saturday.

Paolo Bargliotti, a well known rancher of Echo, was a Ukiah visitor on business this week.

C. W. Mathews came over from the coast on business in the superior court this week. He is a prominent resident of Fort Bragg.

R. E. Dimmick carries a fine line of crockery and glassware. Call and inspect them. tf.

Howard Preston was over from Fort Bragg this week, renewing old acquaintances.

Arthur Dodge came over from Mendocino as a juryman in the Smith case this week. He was excused, and proceeded to Santa Rosa for a visit with his sister, Mrs. Burke, before returning to the coast.

Frank Strong returned to Ukiah the first of the week after an extended absence.

C. J. Cavanagh, proprietor of the Fort Bragg Advocate, came over from the coast Tuesday.

Fresh, infertile eggs for putting in storage at the current store prices. Geo. Schmitt, Ukiah.

E. J. O'Connor was among the well known Fort Bragg residents in Ukiah this week in connection with the Smith trial.

Jack Nelson and wife came over from Fort Bragg the first of the week.

J. B. King, of Fort Bragg, was called to Ukiah the first of the week on business.

Eri Huggins was among the prominent Fort Braggers in town this week.

W. J. Ainsworth and wife and J. Allenby and wife were registered in town from Willits the early part of the week.

A full line of staple and fancy groceries, chinaware and dishes at Dimmick's. tf

John Matson, of Elk, was a Ukiah visitor the latter part of last week.

G. E. Reilly, of Philo, came over to Ukiah on business last Monday.

Ray Enders, a former resident of Ukiah, was in town this week.

J. Mitchell and Dick Brown were among the Fort Bragg residents in Ukiah this week.

Attorney W. G. Poage left the first of the week for Los Angeles on an important business deal.

Morris & LeRoy are the druggists for me,
Their goods are of strict purity,
Their service is best
Their drugs stand the test,
Their telephone number's one, three.

Garfield Zavitts, of Caspar, was a Ukiah visitor the early part of the week.

Tom Jameson, rural mail carrier of Calpella, was down to Ukiah for a few hours' visit last Monday.

Len Barnard came over from Fort Bragg on business at the courthouse the first of the week.

Arthur Daniels came over from Mendocino last Monday.

PATRIA

The most exciting film ever produced. See it at the Victory theatre Friday, May 4th.

W. F. Fuller was among the Fort Bragg residents in Ukiah this week in connection with the Smith case.

E. P. Rasmussen, a mail contractor of Mendocino, was in town last Wednesday.

F. A. Yates came down from his Redwood valley ranch the first of the week.

Call on Dimmick if you want fresh groceries or a set of crockery. tf.

Henry Little was among the Fort Bragg people called as witnesses in the Smith trial this week.

Wm. Dixon was among the prominent Fort Bragg residents in Ukiah this week.

Walter W. Mack was in town the first of the week from his ranch at Comptche.

Ed Stoddard, a well known mail contractor of the coast, was in town this week.

Bert Johnson was registered in town from Fort Bragg this week.

H. B. Muir was down from Willits on business last Tuesday.

Morris & LeRoy your custom invite,
You'll find in their dealings they're "white";
For this is their song,
"Just pushin' along,
Tryin' to treat everybody right."

The Eagles held their memorial services last Sunday at the Baptist church, where Rev. D. Catchpole preached an impressive memorial sermon.

C. H. Drewery and wife, who were formerly residents of Ukiah, were renewing old acquaintances here last Tuesday. They reside now at St. Helena, where they are prospering.

W. M. English, accompanied by his father, Wiley English, returned the latter part of last week from an extended absence in the southern part of the state.

Free matinee Friday afternoon at 4 p. m. at the Victory for all children under 12 years.

Mrs. Theodore Hale left Tuesday for San Francisco.

Mrs. J. W. Shore returned the latter part of last week to her home at Dos Rios after a visit with relatives in Ukiah.

There's a druggist who's made quite a hit,
In Ukiah, you surely know it.
We'll give you a guess,
Morris & LeRoy? Why, yes;
They're always there with the glad mit.

Fred C. White, superintendent of the Union Lumber Co., was over from Fort Bragg this week in attendance at the Smith trial.

Harry Cameron left Monday for a two weeks' visit in San Francisco and Coalinga.

Henry Mulson was among the Fort Bragg people in town this week in connection with the Smith trial.

Reg. Caughey is here from Stanford for a visit with relatives.

Rev. D. Munro, of Point Arena, is a Ukiah visitor this week.

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LOCAL ITEMS

G. K. Osborn, of Covelo, was a Ukiah visitor last Wednesday.

Mrs. S. P. Beattie, of Willits, was a county seat visitor last Wednesday.

Sam Shafsky came over from Fort Bragg Wednesday. He is a prominent merchant of that city.

Chas. Mathews left Tuesday for Stockton, where he has a good position.

Miss Mary Kinloch, who teaches at Gaskill, spent Sunday with relatives in Ukiah.

J. F. Bond, L. Steinfield, Miss Hazel Bond and Miss Mabel Miller, of San Francisco, were guests at the W. D. Bond home the first of the week. They motored from here to Longvale to try the fishing the first of the season, but report poor luck, the water being too high. J. F. Bond is a brother and Miss Bond a niece of W. D. Bond, of this city.

Nelson Requa was down from his ranch above Calpella last Wednesday.

Miss Ruth Bailor, of Potter valley, was a Ukiah visitor last Wednesday.

A fire on the Brunner-Briggs timber holdings near Low Gap this week destroyed several thousand grape stakes.

Mrs. McCoombs is convalescing from the result of a bad fall she received last week, when she slipped and fell from the porch at their home to the ground, spraining her hip.

DEATH OF CHAS. EDWARDS

Chas. Edwards, brother of Benson Edwards of this city, died at Santa Rosa last night from typhoid pneumonia. Mr. Edwards left this morning to attend the funeral.

ADJOURNMENT OF STATE LEGISLATURE

Numerous Bills Passed of Varying Importance

Sacramento — California's forty-second Legislature has adjourned sine die. Few bills of importance were passed to the Governor. The session was exceptionally dull.

The Breed bill, calling for the creation of a State defense guard, to be composed of 1000 men, and which asks for an appropriation of $1,000,000, was passed by the Senate.

Briefly, the bill provides that the State defense guard shall consist of 1000 men, to be divided into not more than ten companies. The salaries to be paid the guard range from $90 to $150 a month. The guard is to be under the absolute control of the Governor, and the Adjutant General's duties and jurisdiction with regard to the body are small.

By a vote of 26 to 2, the Senate passed Assemblyman Harris' bill, providing for free text books for High Schools.

Senator McDonald's bill for the establishment of public medical centers for the care of children obtained passage in the Assembly.

The Luce Market Bill was passed by the Assembly.

As passed by both Houses the Market Commission Bill proposes authority to the State Market Director to organize producers, distributors and consumers; authority to advise in disputes between producers and distributors; authority to suggest standardization methods, to seek wider markets for California food products, to issue commission labels and to originate many novelties in distribution.

The Tax Limitation Bill, recommended by the State Tax Commission as a measure of economy in county administration, was passed by the Senate. The bill provides that no county shall increase the amount of taxation over a previous year by more than 5 per cent.

The Gebhart Reclamation Bill was passed in the Senate, 31 to 1, and sent to the Assembly for concurrence in more than forty amendments.

The County Government Bill of San Luis Obispo county passed the Senate.

A bill establishing standards for the packing and marketing of apples, and forbidding the sale of infected and diseased apples also passed the Senate.

The closing hours of the Senate developed probably the bitterest contest of the session. The question was over the passage of a bill by Assemblyman Polsley of Red Bluff excluding from the Sacramento Drainage district approximately 125,000 acres of farm lands in Butte and Glenn counties. The bill passed the Senate 21 to 12, following a stormy debate in which every member present took part.

Judging a Potato.

A good potato should be firm and crisp when cut, and a thin cross section when held between the eyes and the light should show a relatively uniform distribution of starch throughout its whole area, as opposed to a large, translucent, watery central area, which denotes a lack of starch in this portion of the tuber. The even distribution of starch insures greater uniformity in cooking and in texture of the flesh when cooked.

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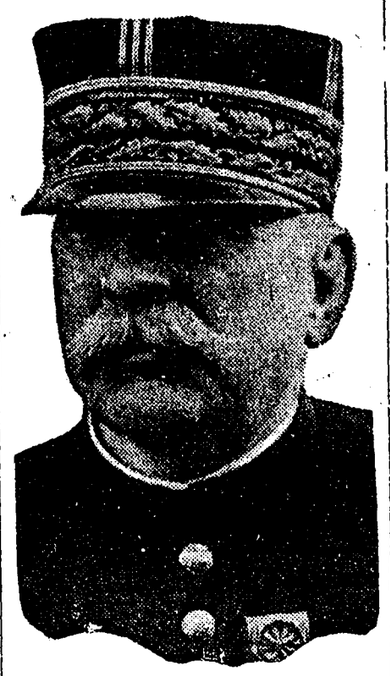

France selected Marshal Joseph Jacques Cesaire Joffre, her chief hero of the war, as her representative to the allies' conference at Washington. He was born at Rivesaltes in 1852. He became a second lieutenant in the Franco-Prussian war and commanded a French battery at the siege of Paris. He was made a general of division in 1905 and served in China, Tonkin and Formosa. He was in supreme command of the armies of France when the Germans were thrown back at the Marne.

CALIFORNIA DRAFT FIGURES

When the Government begins the work of conscription to raise the first 500,000 of its new Army, the visible effects will not be so startling as the general public seems to expect.

Figures show that California, on the population ratio, will be required to furnish about 8000 men, an average of about 130 to a county, though San Francisco county, because of its denser population, will have to furnish some 2500. This means not more than 200 men from each of the city's thirteen Assembly districts.

CUT IN WATER RATES

Public utility water companies in California were authorized by the Railroad Commission to deliver their surplus water free or at reduced rates, for the irrigation of additional lands during the emergency created by the war. Water users securing water under this concession will be required to sign agreements that the service is for the war emergency only.

The embargo on eastbound freight via the Sunset Gulf route will be partially lifted, it was announced by the Southern Pacific Company.

CONGRESS PASSES ARMY DRAFT BILL

Senate to Rush Espionage Bill to Immediate Passage

Washington — By overwhelming majorities both the Senate and House passed the Administration bill to raise a war army by selective draft.

The final roll calls brought into line behind the bill many Senators and Representatives who had fought for the volunteer system until routed by decisive defeat of volunteer amendments in both houses. The Senate, which had voted down the volunteer plan, 69 to 18, passed the bill by a vote of 81 to 8. In the House the vote against the volunteer plan was 313 to 109, and that by which the bill itself was passed was 397 to 24.

The War Department already has completed plans for carrying it into effect.

The Senate approved an amendment by Senator Stone which would definitely confine the operation of the draft to the period of existing emergency.

Many of the more radical amendments are expected to be thrown out in conference, and Administration leaders hope to restore virtually all of the important features of the bill to their original form before it goes to the President.

It is definitely known that the Government has offered the Allies troops, but has suggested that the alarming shortage of world shipping may make it impractical to send them at once.

In spite of objections to the general staff to putting any American forces on the firing line before the great war army has been raised and trained, the Administration has determined that the small contingent earnestly desired by France for moral effect shall be sent as soon as possible.

The Administration espionage bill was taken up by the Senate, and made the unfinished business, with a view to passing it during the present week.

The so-called censorship section already has been approved by the Senate, but there will be opportunities during the week to consider it again.

A similar bill is pending before the House, where Representative Kahn of California announced he would introduce an amendment to place the censorship in the hands of a committee, consisting of four experienced newspaper men and one representative each of the State, War and Navy Departments.

An amendment increasing the pay of enlisted men from $15 to 30 a month, a proposal already accepted by both Senate and House as part of the Army draft bill, was transferred to the appropriation measure to facilitate final enactment. It brings up to more than $325,000,000 the total appropriation in the bill for Army pay.

The House bill permitting the Allies to recruit their citizens in the United States was passed by the Senate

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THE PRESIDENT'S APPEAL TO THE FARMERS

"MY FELLOW COUNTRYMEN:

"The entrance of our beloved country into the grim and terrible war for democracy and human rights which has shaken the world creates so many problems of national life and action which call for immediate consideration and settlement that I hope you will permit me to address to you a few words of earnest counsel and appeal with regard to them.

"We are rapidly putting our navy upon an effective war footing and are about to create and equip a great army, but these are the simplest parts of the great task to which we have addressed ourselves. There is not a single selfish element, so far as I can see, in the cause we are fighting for. We are aghting for what we believe and wish to be the rights of mankind and for the future peace and security of the world. To do this great thing worthily and successfully we must devote ourselves to the service without regard to profit or material advantage and with an energy and intelligence that will rise to the level of the enterprise itself. We must realize to the full how great the task is and how many things, how many kinds and elements of capacity and service and self-sacrifice, it involves.

"These, then, are the things we must do, and do well, besides fighting,—the things without which mere fighting would be fruitless:

"We must supply abundant food for ourselves and for our armies and our seamen not only, but also for a large part of the nations with whom we have now made common cause, in whose support and by whose sides we shall be fighting.

"We must supply ships by the hundreds out of our shipyards to carry to the other side of the sea, submarines or no submarines, what will every day be needed there, and abundant materials out of our fields and our mines and our factories with which not only to clothe and equip our own forces on land and sea, but also to clothe and support our people for whom the gallant fellows under arms can no longer work, to help clothe and equip the armies with which we are cooperating in Europe, and to keep the looms and manufactories there in raw material; coal to keep the fires going in ships at sea and in the furnaces of hundreds of factories across the sea; steel out of which to make arms and ammunition both here and there; rails for worn-out railways back of the firing fronts; locomotives and rolling stock to take the place of those every day gong to pieces; mules, horses, cattle for labor and for military service; everything with which the people of England and France and Italy and Russia have usually supplied themselves but cannot now afford the men, the materials, or the machinery to make.

"It is evident to every thinking man that our industries, on the farms, in the shipyards, in the mines, in the factories, must be made more prolific and more efficient than ever and that they must be more economically managed and better adapted to the particular requirements of our task than they have been; and what I want to say is that the men and the women who devote their thought and their energy to these things will be serving the country and conducting the fight for peace and freedom just as truly and just as effectively as the men on the battlefields or in the trenches. The industrial forces of the country, men and women alike, will be a great national, a great international, Service Army,—a notable and honored host engaged in the service of the nation and the world, the efficient friends and saviors of free men everywhere. Thousands, nay, hundreds of thousands, of men otherwise liable to military service will of right and of necessity be excused from that service and assigned to the fundamental sustaining work of the fields and factories and mines, and they will be as much part of the great patriotic forces of the nation as the men under fire.

"I take the liberty, therefore, of addressing this word to the farmers of the country and to all who work on the farms: The supreme need of our own nation and of the nations with which we are cooperating is an abundance of supplies, and especially of food stuffs. The importance of an adequate food supply, especially for the present year, is superlative. Without abundant food, alike for the armies and the people now at war, the whole great enterprise upon which we have embarked will break down and fail. The world's food reserves are low. Not only during the present emergency but some time after peace shall have come both our own people and a large proportion of the people of Europe must rely upon the harvests in America. Upon the farmers of this country, therefore, in large measure, rests the fate of the war and the fate of the nations. May the nation not count upon them to omit no step that will increase the production of their land or that will bring about the most effectual cooperation in the sale and distribution of their products? The time is short. It is of the most imperative importance that everything possible be done and done immediately to make sure of large harvests. I call upon young men and old alike and upon the able-bodied boys of the land to accept and act upon this duty,—to turn in hosts to the farms and make certain that no pains and no labor is lacking in this great matter.

"I particularly appeal to the farmers of the South to plant abundant food stuffs as well as cotton. They can show their patriotism in no better or more convincing way than by resisting the great temptation of the present price of cotton and helping, helping upon a great scale, to feed the nation and the peoples everywhere who are fighting for their liberties and for our own. The variety of their crops will be the visible measure of their comprehension of their national duty.

"The Government of the United States and the governments of the several states stand ready to cooperate. They will do everything possible to assist farmers in securing an adequate supply of seed, an adequate force of laborers when they are most needed, at harvest time, and the means of expediting shipments of fertilizers and farm machinery, as well as of the crops themselves when harvested. The course of trade shall be as unhampered as it is possible to make it and there shall be no unwarranted manipulation of the nation's food supply by those who handle it on its way to the consumer. This is our opportunity to demonstrate the efficiency of a great Democracy and we shall not fall short of it!

"This let me say to the middlemen of every sort, whether they are handling our food sturs or our raw materials of manufacture or the products of our mills and factories: The eyes of the country will be especially upon you. This is your opportunity for signal service, efficient and disinterested. The country expects you, as it expects all others, to foregoe unusual profits, to organize and expedite shipments of supplies of every kind, but especially of food, with an eye to the service you are rendering and in the spirit of those who enlist in the ranks, for their people, not for themselves. I shall confidently expect you to deserve and win the confidence of people of every sort and station.

"To the men who run the railways of the country, whether they be managers or operative employees, let me say that the railways are the arteries of the nation's life and that upon them rest the immense responsibility of seeing to it that those arteries sufer no obstruction of any kind, no inefficiency or slackening power. To the merchant let me suggest the motto, "Small profits and quick service;" and to the shipbuilder the thought that the life of the war depends upon him. The food and the war supplies must be carried across the seas no matter how many ships are sent to the bottom. The places of those that go down must be supplied and supplied at once. To the miner let me say that he stands where the farmer does: the work of the world waits on him. If he slackens or fails, armies and statesmen are helpless. He also is enlisted in the great Service Army. The manufacturer does not need to be told, I hope, that the nation looks to him to speed and perfect every process; and I want only to remind his employees that their service is absolutely indispensable and is counted on by every man who loves the country and its liberties.

"Let me suggest, also, that everyone who creates or cultivates a garden helps, and helps greatly, to solve the problem of the feeding of the nations; and that every housewife who practices strict economy puts herself in the ranks of those who serve the nation. This is the time for America to correct her unpardonable fault of wastefulness and extravagance. Let every man and every woman assume the duty of careful, provident use and expenditure as a public duty, as a dictate of patriotism which no one can now expect ever to be excused or forgiven for ignoring.

"In the hope that this statement of the needs of the nation and of the world in this hour of supreme crisis may stimulate those to whom it comes and remind all who need reminder of the solemn duties of a time such as the world has never seen before, I beg that all editors and publishers everywhere will give as prominent publication and as wide circulation as possible to this appeal. I venture to suggest, also, to all advertising agencies that they would perhaps render a very substantial and timely service to the country if they would give it widespread repetition. And I hope that clergymen will not think the theme of it an unworthy or inappropriate subject of comment and homily from their pulpits.

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The American farmer has long shown his ability to produce more food per man and at lower cost per unit than any other farmer in the world, but he has never had to do his best. He needs do his best now. This is not the time in which to experiment with new and untried crops and processes. It is very important that the farmer devote his principal efforts to the production of such crops and the employment of such methods as are well established in his community and as are likely to yield the maximum return in food and clothing material.

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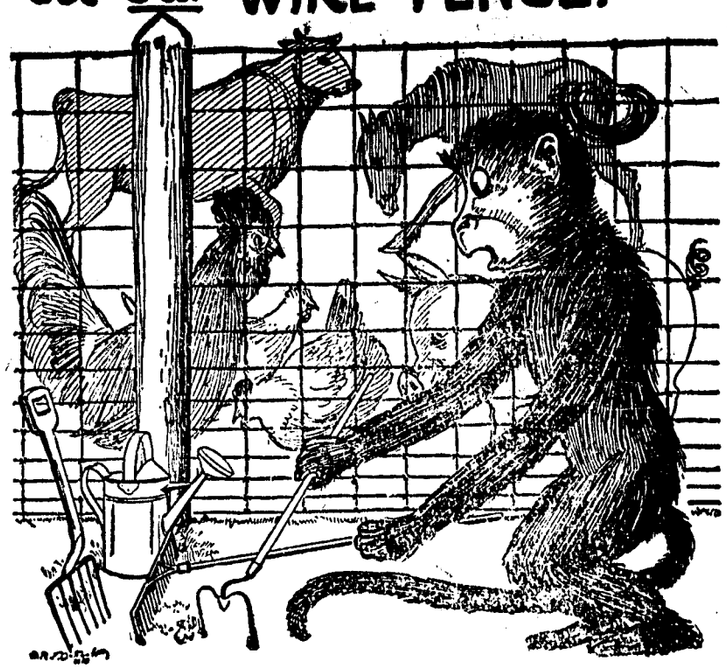

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W. C. T. U. INSTITUTE WAS BIG SUCCESS

The W. C. T. U. Institute held Friday was very successful. The Christian church was attractively decorated with great clusters of white lilacs, American flags and a portrait of Frances Willard, tied with a large white ribbon bow, the emblem of the order.

After music and devotional service led by Mrs. Haines, came the usual greetings and responses. Mrs. May Beckley was appointed secretary and the morning session opened with an unusually fine address by Emma Prather Long. It was at once instructive and stimulating. From then until noon the audience enjoyed a feast of good things, among the best of which was Mrs. Luce's reading of the W. C. T. U. "Declaration of Principles", and Mrs. Endersby's paper on "The What and Why of the W. C. T. U., and the Place It Should Fill in the Community Life."

The "Open Parliament" was ably opened by Mrs. Catchpole and discussions followed. The morning session closed with noon-tide prayer. The ladies of the Ukiah Union had provided a nice lunch for all who attended both sessions, this being served at tables in an adjoining room.

At 1:30 the institute again convened, the devotional service being led by Mrs. Glazier and the subjects, "The Value of a Loyal Temperance Legion", "The Importance of Parliamentary Usage", "The Outlook of National Prohibition" and "The Press", were ably presented by Mrs. Picou, Mrs. Pettis, Mrs. Rowland and Mrs. Eversole, respectively.

At 3:00 o'clock the ceremony of receiving White Ribbon Recruits was carried out by Mrs. Annie R. Payne, president of the Ukiah Union. Nine little tots were received. During the ceremony the song, "Where the Master Shall Gather His Jewels", was sung. This was a most unusual and impressive service.

The Children's Contest followed. Seven little girls took part, each acquitting herself with credit. The judges awarded the silver medal to Lila Banks, the others each receiving a box of candy.

The evening session, which consisted of a Matron's Contest, was largely attended. All the contestants did remarkably well, presenting a fine literary program which was ably seconded by an equally fine musical program in which the Misses Pettis, Page, Yeager, Mitchell, Van Allen and Messrs. Taylor and Van Dyke took part. The silver medal was awarded Mrs. J. W. Keller, Hon. T. J. Weldon making the presentation speech.

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ADDITIONAL LOCAL

J. D. Brower came down from his ranch near Potter valley this week.

T. S. Burnight and wife are home after a few days' vacation trip to cities about the bay.

Lawrence Waugh spent a few days this week visiting at Petaluma.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Roberts and Mr. and Mrs. Ben Edwards motored to Santa Rosa Monday.

Joshua Grindle came over from Mendocino yesterday.

S. H. Busch, of Potter valley, was registered at the Palace Wednesday.

Mrs. Carl Beggs has been visiting her parents, E. J. Duncan and wife, in this city the past week.

Ernest Capell, of Willits, was registered in town Tuesday.

Mrs. Lottie Collins is visiting friends in Upper Lake this week.